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## TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Sir:

Respectfully submitted,

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Richard P. TRACY et al.

Serial No. : 09/822,868

Filed: April 2, 2001

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For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND MEDIUM FOR CERTIFYING AND ACCREDITING  
REQUIREMENTS COMPLIANCE

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE  
TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
Washington D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated May 15, 2001, submitted herewith are the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney (which is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63)
2. Petition for Extension of Time (1 month)
3. Assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet
4. 46 Sheets of Formal Drawings and Drawings Transmittal Letter
5. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application

Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0219 in the amount of \$2658.00 (Statutory Basic Filing Fee of \$710.00, Late Filing Fee Surcharge of \$130.00, Additional Claim Fees of 1668.00, 1-month Extension of Time Fee of \$110.00, Assignment Fee of \$40.00). To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 08-0219 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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[X] Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

[X] Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

[X] Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims.

It is requested that the official filing receipt now be issued.

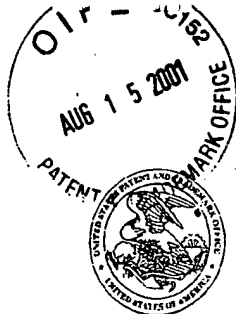
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1668.
  - \$1188 for 66 total claims over 20.
  - \$480 for 6 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 2508.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. ( 5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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